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DANIEL S. ANTHONY, Director WALTER D. CHAMBERS, Ass't. Dir.

Dear Al,

This looks the like
a day you'll be enjoying.
I'm sorry to have to miss
it.

Quite a cast of characters!

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THE EVANGELICAL LUTHERAN SYNOD OF NEW JERSEY

225 EAST HANOVER STREET

TRENTON S. NEW JERSEY

April 6, 1961

Dear Pastors

The symmetrial Board of Home Missions, in consultation with the Consulting Committee on Urban Work, has planned a Conference for Urban Pastors to be held on Tuesday, April 25, at Emanuel Lutheran Church, Kirkpatrick and New Streets, New Brunswick, New Jersey,

At first it was felt that only pastors serving in the immediate inner-city areas were to be invited to this Conference. However, further consideration by the Consulting Committee prumpted the Board of Bone Hissians to invite all of the pastors of the Synod to attend, in that our Synod is serving in a area that is considered to be 90% urban

We are beresith enclosing the program for the day and while some of the items may not particularly concern you at this time, there may well be a time in the near future when your ministry will lead you into some of the problems to be discussed.

You will note, according to the program, that luncheon and dinner are to be provided, actually the cost for the whole program including luncheon and dinner is to be paid for from an appropriation from the budget of the Board of Ross Missions. The only expense to you will be your travel arrangements.

We trust that you will be able to be in attendance for the total progrem. However, if you cannot make it for all day, please feel free to come for any part of the day. In order that we may make necessary reservations, particularly for imnchoon and dinner, we would appreciate your completing and sending back immediately the enclosed pestcard.

We are looking forward to having you with us on April 25.

Sincerely.

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PARKING ON ARROLD CONSTABLE ROOF - NEXT DOOR TO CHURCH

CONFERENCE FOR URBAN PASTORS

Emanuel Lutheran Church Kirkpatrick and New Streets New Brunswick, New Jersey

Tuesday, April 25, 1961

9:45 a.m. REGISTRATION

10:00 a.m. DEVOTIONS: The Rev. Donald F. Coester, Pastor Emanual Fatheren Church

10:15 a.m. "MINORITY FEELINGS": Dr. Harold A. Lett, Assistant Director Commission on Labor-Management Organizations The National Conference of Christians & Jowes, Inc.

11;50 a.m. "THE PURTO RIGAN, HIS CULTURS, WHY HE CAME, HOW CAN WE BEST SERVE HIM":

Mr. Gabriel Coll, Department of Labor, Commonwealth

of Fuerto Rico, Higration Division.

12:45 p.m., LUNCH: "THE BOARD OF AMERICAN MISSIONS' URBAN PROGRAM":
The Rev. Orval C. Bartman, Secretary, Division of Urban
Church, Board of American Missions, U.L.C.A.

2:15 p.m. "THE PASTOR'S CHOCERS IN LOCAL COVERNMENT" (Association with officials, Usan Renewal, General Welfare Progress, etc.);
(TENTATIVE) — Hr. Alexander Mark, Chairman, Mayov's Commission on Group Relations, Newark, New Yersey

3:30 p.m. "BULL SESSIONS":

Group 1: "THE FUERTO RICAN": The Rev. & Mrs. Miguel Sevilla Board Missionary assigned to Trinity Church, Camden, N. J.

Group 2: "THE NEGRO": The Rev. John E. Christ, Jr., Pastor Bethany Church, Bronx, New York

Group 3; "GOVERNMENT & WELFARE": The Rev. J. Russell Hale, Pastor St. Faul's Church. Collingswood. New Jersey

4:45 p.m. REPORT AND FINDINGS OF "BULL SESSIONS".

5,30 p.m. DINNER: "THE COTREACH IN THE INNER CITY": Dr. Walter E. Bock, Pastor St. Peter's Church, New York, New York; formerly Field Director, Department of Evengelism, Board of American Missions, U.L.C.A.

7:15 p.m. CLOSING PRAYER: The Rev. Dr. Edwin H. Knudten, President
The Evangelical Lutheran Synod of New Jersey, U.L.C.A.